[Docket No. CP96-785-000]

Texas Eastern Transmission Corporation; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization

September 17, 1996.

Take notice that on September 12, 1996, Texas Eastern Transmission Corporation (Texas Eastern), 5400 Westheimer Court, Houston, Texas 77056-5310, filed in Docket No. CP96-785-000 a request pursuant to §§ 157.205 and 157.211 of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205, 157.211) for authorization to install an additional 10-inch meter run with associated valves and tubing at existing M&R No. 953 located in Middlesex County, New Jersey under Texas Eastern's blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP82-535-000 pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, all as more fully set forth in the request that is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Texas Eastern proposes to install the additional meter run to increase delivery capacity at M&R No. 953 as requested by New Jersey Natural Gas Company (New Jersey Natural), an existing Texas Eastern customer. Texas Eastern states that New Jersey Natural would reimburse Texas Eastern for 100% of the cost and expenses it would incur for installing the meter run. Such cost and expenses are estimated to be

approximately \$84,000.

Texas Eastern states that the proposed installation would have no effect on its peak day or annual deliveries and that its proposal would be accomplished without detriment or disadvantage to its other customers.

Any person or the Commission's staff may, within 45 days after issuance of the instant notice by the Commission, file pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's Procedural Rules (18 CFR 385.214) a motion to intervene or notice of intervention and pursuant to § 157.205 of the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205) a protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the time allowed therefor, the proposed activity shall be deemed to be authorized effective the day after the time allowed for filing a protest. If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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[Docket No. CP96-776-000]

Williams Natural Gas Company; Notice of Application

September 17, 1996.

Take notice that on September 9, 1996, Williams Natural Gas Company (WNG), P.O. Box 3288, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74101, filed in Docket No. CP96-776-000 an application pursuant to Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act for authorization to construct and operate about 9.5 miles of 20-inch pipeline loop extension in Labette and Montgomery Counties, Kansas and about 3.2 miles of 20-inch pipeline loop extension in Christian County, Missouri, and the rolled-in rate treatment of these facilities, all as more fully set forth in the application on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

WNG proposes to extend the existing Southern Trunk by constructing the above facilities in order to provide additional reliability of all customers east of Saginaw compressor station and to continue to maintain reliable and consistent service. It is estimated by WNG that the cost would be \$6.1 million to be paid from available funds.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said application should on or before October 8, 1996, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC, 20426, a motion to intervene or a protest in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.214 or 385.211) and the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.10). All protests filed with the Commission will be considered by it in determining the appropriate action to be taken but will not serve to make the protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party to a proceeding or to participate as a party in any hearing therein must file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules.

Take further notice that, pursuant to the authority contained in and subject to the jurisdiction conferred upon the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission by Sections 7 and 15 of the Natural Gas Act and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, a hearing will be held without further notice before the Commission or its designee on this application if no motion to intervene is filed within the time required herein, if the Commission on its own review of the matter finds that a grant of the certificate is required by the public convenience and necessity. If a motion for leave to intervene is timely filed, or

if the Commission on its own motion believes that a formal hearing is required, further notice of such hearing will be duly given.

Under the procedure herein provided for, unless otherwise advised, it will be unnecessary for WNG to appear or be represented at the hearing.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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[Docket No. EC96-13-000, et al.]

IES Utilities Inc., et al.; Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

September 16, 1996.

Take notice that the following filings have been made with the Commission.

1. IES Utilities Inc. Interstate Power Company Wisconsin Power & Light Company South Beloit Water, Gas & Electric Company Heartland Energy Services and Industrial Energy Applications, Inc.

[Docket No. EC96-13-000]

Take notice that on September 12, 1996, IES Utilities Inc. (IES), Interstate Power Company (IPC), Wisconsin Power & Light Company (WPL), South Beloit Water, Gas & Electric Company (South Beloit), Heartland Energy Services (HES) and Industrial Energy Applications, Inc. (IEA) (collectively, the Applicants) submitted for filing pursuant to Section 203 of the Federal Power Act and Part 33 of the Commission's regulations, a Third Supplemental Joint Application for Authorization and Approval of Merger.

Comment date: September 30, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

2. Wisconsin Power and Light Company [Docket No. EL96–29–001]

Take notice that on August 30, 1996, Wisconsin Power and Light Company tendered for filing its refund report in the above-referenced proceeding.

Comment date: September 30, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

3. Duke Power Company

[Docket No. ER96-2943-000]

Take notice that on September 9, 1996, Duke Power Company (Duke), tendered for filing a Service Agreement for Market Rate (Schedule MR) Sales between Duke and Western Power Services, Inc.

Comment date: September 30, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.